



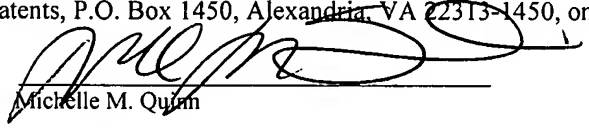
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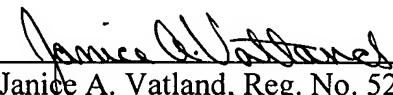
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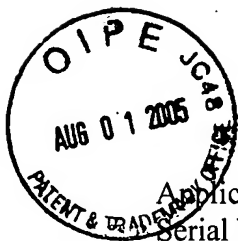
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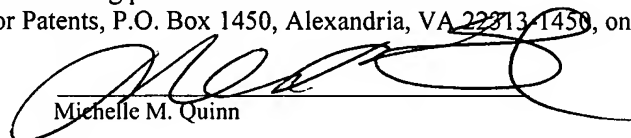
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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated June 30, 2005, Applicant hereby requests entry of the following election:

**ELECTION**

Applicant has elected to prosecute Group II – Claims 8-12, drawn to a method of diagnosing a cardiovascular condition by measuring aberrant expression using polypeptides and antibodies that bind the polypeptide, classified in class 435, subclass 7.1. Applicant believes linking claims 1-7 are also included in the election of Group II. Applicant hereby elects Fit-1 as the required gene election.